# ALASKA 2003-2004 Tier II

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# Deadlines \_\_\_\_

- Deadline for applications is May 31.
- Applications must be mailed to the address shown on the application form. It is your responsibility to make certain the envelope gets postmarked by May 31. Some post offices routinely pouch mail without postmarking it and send it on to a larger distribution center where it is postmarked 24-48 hours later! We suggest you hand-carry your envelope into the post office, ask that it be postmarked, and then look at the postmark to make certain it says May 31 or earlier. Also note that a postmark means a U.S. Postal Service postmark. Postage meter dates do not count.
- Applications postmarked by May 31 will be accepted until June 10th.
- All applicants will be notified of results by mail in July.

# Apply online!

For the first time this year, the Tier II application is available online

www.wc.adfg.state.ak.us/permits/tierii/

Maps of Tier II hunt areas are also available at: www.wc.adfq.state.ak.us/qis/index.cfm

#### **HUNTER EDUCATION REQUIREMENT**

**Hunter Education is required for hunters born AFTER** January 1, 1986, and intending to hunt in Units 7, 13-15, and 20.

- 16 years old or older, must have successfully completed a certified hunter education course.
- Under 16 years old;
- a) successfully completed a certified hunter education course, or
   b) hunt under the direct immediate supervision of a licensed hunter who has successfully completed a certified hunter education course.

### **PERMIT HUNT CONDITIONS**

Permits are not transferable to another person.

Permits, valid hunting licenses and, if appropriate, big game locking tags must be in the possession of hunters while hunting. Alaska residents 15 years of age and younger are not required to have a hunting license.

Additional conditions may be listed under the description of each hunt.

# **OTHER HUNTING OPPORTUNITIES**

In addition to Tier II Permit Hunts, there are Registration Permit Hunts where typically an unlimited number of hunters may apply and receive permits but where the season may be closed by Emergency Order if the harvest quota is reached. There are also Drawing Permit Hunts in which only a limited number of people may participate and are chosen by lottery. Information concerning these two types of permit hunts can be found in the Registration Permit Hunt Supplement and in the two Drawing Permit Hunt Supplements. In addition to these three types of state permit hunts (Tier II, Registration and Drawing), there are general hunting seasons which do not require a permit, but may require a harvest ticket/report. Refer to the Alaska State Hunting Regulations book for information about such hunts.

# Results from the 2002 Tier II Hunts

The table below contains permit application information on Tier II hunts held in 2002-2003. The column titled Percent Awarded gives the percentage of applicants receiving a permit for each hunt.

Hunt A	PERMIT	Number Awarded	PERCENT
	PPLICATIONS	AWARDED	AWARDED
Caribou	000	400	400.00/
TC505 9C and E, NAP	386	400	100.0%
TC566 13, Nelchina	7,734	2000	25.9%
Mt. Goat	0.0	4.4	00.00/
TG364 15C Seldovia	36	14	38.9%
TG365 15C English Bay	48	30	62.5%
Moose			00 =0/
TM059 1D Upper Lynn Cai		200	88.5%
TM300 13 Copper River	1,368	150	11.0%
TM549 15C SW Pt. Pogibs		4	23.5%
TM565 16B Upper Yentna	501	140	27.9%
TM567 16B North Beluga	413	160	38.7%
TM569 16B South Beluga	205	100	48.8%
TM684 19A Lime Village	17	14	82.4%
TM785 20B Minto Flats M.A	A. 280	100	35.7%
TM787 20D S. of Tanana R	. 56	15	26.8%
TM940 25D SW Yukon Flat	ts 58	75	100.0%
Muskox			
TX100 22C east	75	2	2.7%
TX101 22C west	92	4	4.4%
TX102 22D remainder	153	31	20.3%
TX103 22D southwest	88	9	10.2%
TX104 22E	72	21	29.2%
TX105 22B	133	7	5.3%
TX106 23SW Seward Peni	insula 46	9	19.6%
TX107 23NW Noatak Rive	r 43	6	14.0%
TX108 26B west of Dalton	Hwy. 38	9	23.7%

Federal subsistence hunts on federal lands are scheduled for a number of locations in the state. Hunters should refer to federal regulations or contact U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Anchorage (phone 1-800-478-1456) for information concerning such hunts and who may participate.

# Permit Hunt Supplement

Under state law all Alaska residents are eligible for subsistence hunting of game populations where subsistence use occurs.

If the harvestable portion of a game population is not sufficient to provide a reasonable opportunity for all subsistence uses, the Board of Game shall distinguish among subsistence users, through limitations based on:

- The customary and direct dependence on the game population by the subsistence user for human consumption as a mainstay of livelihood, and;
- The ability of the subsistence user to obtain food if subsistence use is restricted or eliminated.

# Instructions for Applying for Tier II Permit Hunts (located on the back of the Tier II application)

- Only Alaska residents 12 years of age or older (by the starting date of the hunt) may apply for a Tier II permit.
- A hunter may apply for more than one hunt but must complete a separate Tier II application for each hunt.
- No individual may hold more than one Tier II permit for a species.
- Only one Tier II permit may be issued to a household for moose or muskox, and only three Tier II permits may be issued to a household for caribou.

MAIL TO:

PO Box 228080

ADF&G Tier II Permit Applications

Anchorage, AK 99522-8080

#### Numbers 1-11 PRINT CLEARLY

- Social security number (optional)
- Date of birth
- Daytime phone number (optional)
- First name, middle initial, and last name
- Complete mailing address, city, state and zip code
  Physical address (if different from mailing address)
- Community of principal residence

Number 12: Total years Alaska Residency

Number 13: Each Tier II hunt is assigned a hunt number. Check this supplement for the correct number of the hunt for which you are applying, then enter the complete number.

If you are applying for more than one Tier II hunt for a species, mark the box indicating if this hunt is your first, second, etc. choice.

Scored Questions 14-18: See the explanation of point scoring listed below. If a question is left blank, you will receive the minimum score for that question.

List other members of your household who are also submitting Tier II application(s)

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# Sign your application.

Any application which is illegible, has incorrect hunt numbers, or has missing required information (including signature) will not be considered.

In addition, applications containing false information will be reported to Fish and Wildlife Protection for investigation.

# **MOST COMMON ERRORS**

Last year about 433 hunt applications of the 12,085 submitted were rejected. The most common errors were:

- application received after the deadlineno signature
- invalid hunt number
   applicant less than 1
  - applicant less than 12 years old

# POINT SCORING

Each Tier II application is scored on the basis of the information provided by the applicant. Answers may be subject to verification. A total of **up to 100 points** is possible.

There are 5 questions (14-18) on the application that are used for scoring:

- 14. **Up to 50 points** are awarded for the number of years the **applicant** has hunted or eaten meat from the game population in the hunt area. One point is awarded for each year.
- 15. **Up to 10 points** are awarded for the number of years **any one member** of the household has hunted or eaten meat from the game population in the hunt area. One-fifth of a point is awarded for each year.
- 16. **Up to 20 points** are awarded for the relative availability of alternative sources of big game. This is measured by developing a ratio of the amount of meat harvested from the Tier II population and the total amount of big game meat harvested by all household members over the past 5 years anywhere within the state of Alaska. Points received may not exceed the points calculated by the department for the community nearest the applicant's address.
- 17. **Up to 10 points** are awarded for the cost of food in the community where most of the applicant's household store-bought food was purchased during the past year. Points received may not exceed the points calculated by the department using the cost-of-food index for the community nearest the applicant's residence.
- 18. Up to 10 points are awarded for the cost of automotive fuel in the community where most of the applicant's household automotive fuel was purchased during the past year. Points received may not exceed the points calculated by the department using the cost of automotive fuel for the community nearest the applicant's residence.

Map intentionally omitted to reduce file size.

To View map click here. For copies of the supplement e-mail, WCHQ\_Receptionist@fishgame.state.ak.us

# **TIER II PERMIT HUNT AREAS**

Maps of hunt areas are available at <a href="https://www.wc.adfg.state.ak.us/gis/index.cfm">www.wc.adfg.state.ak.us/gis/index.cfm</a>

# LIST OF ALASKA COMMUNITIES

The following table lists communities. You should select the community you live in from this table. If your community is not listed below, provide the name of the **community with a post office** closest to you. List your community on the Tier II application.

**KENAI** 

**AKHIOK AKIACHAK ALAKANUK** ALEXANDER CREEK **ALLAKAKET AMBLER** ANAKTUVUK PASS ANCHOR POINT **ANCHORAGE ANDERSON** ANGOON **ANIAK ANVIK** ARCTIC VILLAGE **ATKA** ATMAUTLUAK **ATQASUK** AUKE BAY **BARROW BEAVER BELUGA BETHEL BETTLES FIELD BIG LAKE BIRCH CREEK BIRCHWOOD BOUNDARY BREVIG MISSION BROAD PASS BUCKLAND** CANDLE **CANTWELL** CAPE LISBURNE CAPE YAKATAGA **CENTRAL CHALKYITSIK** CHASE CHATANIKA **CHEFORNAK** CHELATNA LAKE

**CHICKEN** CHIGNIK (BAY) CHIGNIK LAGOON **CHIGNIK LAKE** CHISANA CHISTOCHINA CHITINA CHUATHBALUK CHUGIAK **CHULITNA** CIRCLE CLAM GULCH **CLEAR CLEAR MEWS COLD BAY** COLDFOOT COLVILLE **COOPER LANDING** COPPER CENTER COPPERVILLE CORDOVA COUNCIL **CRAIG DEADHORSE DEERING DELTA JCT DENALI PARK DILLINGHAM DOT LAKE DOUGLAS DUTCH HARBOR EAGLE** EAGLE RIVER **EIELSON AFB EGEGIK EKLUTNA EKWOK ELFIN COVE** 

ELIM

**ESTER** 

**EUREKA** 

**EMMONAK** 

**ENGLISH BAY** 

**FAIRBANKS** FLATHORN LAKE **FORT GREELY FORT YUKON** FOX **GAKONA GALENA GAMBELL GIRDWOOD GLACIER VIEW GLENNALLEN GOLD CREEK GOLOVIN GOODNEWS BAY GULKANA GUSTAVUS HAINES** HATCHER PASS **HEALY HOLY CROSS HOMER HOONAH** HOPE **HOUSTON HUGHES HURRICANE** HUSLIA **HYDABURG HYDER IGIUGIG** ILIAMNA INDIAN **IVANOF BAY** JUNEAU

**KAKE** 

**KAKTOVIK** 

KALSKAG

KANTISHNA

**KASHWITNA** 

**KASIGLUK** 

**KASILOF** 

**KALTAG** 

**KARLUK** 

**KENNY LAKE KETCHIKAN KIANA** KING COVE KING SALMON **KIVALINA KLAWOCK KLUKWAN** KNIK **KOBUK KODIAK KOKHANOK KOLIGANEK KOTLIK** KOTZEBUE **KOYUK** KOYUKUK **KWETHLUK** LABOUCHERE BAY LAKE LOUISE LAKE MINCHUMINA LARSEN BAY LAZY MOUNTAIN **LEVELOCK** LIME VILLAGE LITTLE DIOMEDE LIVENGOOD LOWER KALSKAG MANLEY HOT SPRINGS MAY CREEK **MCCARTHY MCGRATH MEADOW LAKES MEDFRA MENDELTNA** MENTASTA LAKE

**MESHIK** 

**MINTO** 

**METLAKATLA** 

**MEYERS CHUCK** 

MONTANA CREEK

MOOSE CREEK

**NELCHINA NELSON LAGOON** NENANA NEWHALEN **NEW STUYAHOK NIKISHKA** NIKISKI NIKOLAEVSK NIKOLAI **NINILCHIK** NOATAK NOME **NONDALTON NOORVIK NORTH POLE NORTHWAY NULATO** NUIQSUT NYAC **OLD HARBOR OUZINKIE PALMER** PAXSON PEDRO BAY PELICAN **PERRYVILLE** PETERS CREEK **PETERSBURG PETERSVILLE** PILOT POINT POINT BAKER POINT HOPE POINT MCKENZIE **PORT ALSWORTH** PORT CLARENCE **PORT GRAHAM PORT HEIDEN** 

**PORT LIONS** 

PRUDHOE BAY

MOOSE PASS

NANWALEK

NAKNEK

**RAMPART RED MOUNTAIN SALCHA** SAND POINT SAVOONGA **SELAWIK SELDOVIA SEWARD** SHAGELUK **SHAKTOOLIK** SHESHALIK SHISHMAREF SHULIN LAKE SHUNGNAK SILVER SPRINGS SITKA **SKAGWAY** SKWENTNA **SLANA** SLEETMUTE SOLDOTNA **SOLOMON** SOURDOUGH ST GEORGE ISLAND ST MICHAEL ST PAUL ISLAND STEBBINS **STERLING** STEVENS VILLAGE STONY RIVER SUMMIT LAKE SUTTON **TAKOTNA TALKEETNA TANACROSS TANANA TATALINA TATITLEK TAZLINA** TELIDA

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**TENAKEE SPRINGS** 

THORNE BAY **TIN CITY** TOGIAK TOK **TOLSONA TONSINA** TRAPPER CREEK TWO RIVERS **TYONEK UGASHIK UMIAT** UNALAKLEET **UNALASKA USIBELLI** VALDEZ **VENETIE** WALES **WASILLA** WHISKEY LAKE WHITE MOUNTAIN WHITTIER **WILLOW WISEMAN** WRANGELL **YAKUTAT YENTNA** 

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**CHENEGA BAY** 

**CHICKALOON** 

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Area Hunt Number	Number of Permits	Legal Caribou	Season Dates	Hunt Conditions		
Unit 9C (excluding the	Alagnak River draina	ige), and <b>Unit 9E</b> , N	orthern Alaska Peninsula			
TC505	To be announced	Bull -	Aug. 10-Sept. 20	Fall season applies to both that portion of Unit 9C and Unit 9E		
		-	Nov. 15-Feb. 28 Nov. 1-Apr. 30	Winter season for the portion of Unit 9C only Winter season for Unit 9E only		
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Unit 13, Nelchina			Aug. 10-Sept. 20	Because the Nelchina Caribou Herd is still below the management objective of 35,000 - 40,000 animals, the		
TC566	To be announced	Bull	7.tag: 10 00pt: 20	number of permits issued will be similar to last year's 2,000 permits. A slight increase or decrease in the number		
			Oct. 21-Mar. 31	of permits is possible depending upon late winter survival and spring calf production.  Caribou may not be taken within 1/2 mile of the Parks Highway from Milepost 208 to 212 nor within 1/2 mile of the		
				Denali Highway from Milepost 128 to 135.		
				A youth resident hunter (12-17 years old), who has successfully completed a certified hunter education course, may hunt on behalf of a Unit 13 Tier II caribou permit holder, under the direct immediate supervision of the permit holder.		
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Area Hunt Number	Number of Permits	Legal Goat	Season Dates	Hunt Conditions		
Unit 15						
TG364, Seldovia	14		_	If successful report by phone or mail to Homer, Soldotna, Anchorage, or Palmer within 10 days of kill. Most		
TG365, English Bay	30	Either Sex	Aug. 1-Oct. 15	mountain goats are accessed by private land where access fees may be charged by the land owner. Some areas may be closed to nonshareholders. The taking of nannies with kids is prohibited.		
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MOOSE  If unsuccessful report by mail within 15 days of close of season.  Only one Tier II moose permit per household.  Maps of hunt areas:  www.wc.adfg.state.ak.us/gis/index.cfm						
Area	Number of	 Legal	Season Dates	Hunt Conditions		
Hunt Number	Permits	Moose	Jeason Dates			
Unit 1D, Upper Lynn Ca	ınal					
		Bull with spike- fork or 50-inch				
TM059	220	antlers or antlers with 3 or more	Sept. 15-Sept. 30	If successful report in person to Haines with lower front jaw and antlers for measuring within 3		
		brow tines on one		days of kill.		
Unit 13, Copper River		side	<u> </u>			
TM300	150	Bull	Aug. 15-Aug. 31	If successful report by mail to Anchorage within 10 days of the kill.		
I			1 3	ibshi to the point of land between Rocky Bay and Windy Bay.		
TM549	4	Bull	Sept. 1-Sept. 30	If successful report by phone to Homer within 2 days of the kill.		
and the second s			ng Unit 168 Her II mod moose in that hunt area	se hunts, you should answer question 16b on the application form based on your a.		
Unit 16B, Yentna, that p	oortion north and wes	t of the 16B North Be	luga hunt area TM567.			
				If successful, report in person to Soldotna, Anchorage, or Palmer ADF&G within 5 days of kill; if Unit 16B resi-		
TM565	140	Bull	Nov. 15-Feb. 28	dent, report by mail only within 15 days of kill. If antlers are removed or exported from Unit 16B, they must be brought to one of the above ADF&G offices where a department representative will destroy the trophy		
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Unit 16B, North Beluga, that portion draining into Susitna River south of the big bend of the Lower Yentna River (approximately river mile 23), and into Cook Inlet north of the Beluga River, including all drainages into the north side of Beluga River and Beluga Lake.						
		Dull	Nov. 15-Feb. 28	If successful, report in person to Soldotna, Anchorage, or Palmer ADF&G within 5 days of kill; if Unit 16B resident report by mail only within 15 days of kill. If antlers are removed or exported from Unit 16B, they must be		
TM567	60	Bull	Nov. 13-Feb. 20	brought to one of the above ADF&G offices where a department representative will destroy the trophy		
				value.		
Unit 16B, South Beluga	a, mainland drainages I	s south and west of th	e Beluga River, Beluga Lake, and	If successful, report in person to Soldotna, Anchorage, or Palmer ADF&G within 5 days of kill; if Unit 16B resi-		
				dent, report by mail only within 15 days of kill. If antlers are removed or exported from Unit 16B, they must be		
TM569	60	Bull	Nov. 15-Feb. 28	brought to one of the above ADF&G offices where a department representative will destroy the trophy value.		
Unit 19A, Lime Village	Management Area, t	hat portion drained by		I of the Stink River, including the Stink River drainage, upstream to but not including the Can Creek drainage.		
TM684	14	2 moose	Aug. 10-Sept. 25	If successful report by phone or in person to McGrath within 5 days of the kill.		
			Nov. 20-Mar. 31			
				en northeasterly to mile 96, then east to the Tolovana Hotsprings Dome, then east to the Winter Cat Trail, then along e it joins the Tanana River three miles upstream from Old Minto, then along the north bank of the Tanana River		
(including all channels a	and sloughs except Sv	wan Neck Slough) to	he confluence of the Tanana and	d Tolovana Rivers and then northerly to the point of beginning. (Note: The area between Swan Neck Slough and the moose hunting or to transport moose, moose hunters or moose hunting equipment within the Management Area.		
TM785		·	Sept. 1-Sept. 20			
I IVI OO	100	1 moose	Jan. 10-Feb. 28	If successful report in person or by mail to Fairbanks within 5 days of the kill.		
Unit 20D, south of Tana	· · ·	south of the north ba	ank of the Tanana River and eas	t of the west bank of the Johnson River.		
TM787	15	Bull	Jan. 1-Feb. 15	If successful report in person, by phone, or by mail to Delta Junction within 3 days of the kill.		
<b>Unit 25D,</b> Western Yukon Flats, that portion west of the line extending from the GMU 25D boundary on Preacher Creek, then downstream along Preacher Creek, Birch Creek, and Lower Mouth Birch Creek to the Yukon River, then downstream along the north bank of the Yukon River (including islands) to the confluence of the Hadweenzic River, then upstream along the west bank of the Hadweenzic River to the confluence of						
Forty and One-half Mile	Creek, then upstrear	n along Forty and Or	e-half Mile Creek to Nelson Mou	untain on the GMU 25D boundary. <b>NOTE:</b> Under Federal Subsistence hunting regulations, federal public lands I Birch Creek. Except for navigable waters, most of the remaining lands are privately owned.		
within 200 yvest are Cios	วอน เอ เกอออะ ทนทแก่(	g everent na Leginellis	or boaver, oteveris village, and	If successful report in person or by mail to Fairbanks within 10 days of the kill. Reports can also be returned to		
TM940	75	Bull	Aug. 25-Feb. 28	Community Natural Resource Offices in Beaver, Birch Creek, Stevens Village, or Fort Yukon, to be forwarded to ADF&G, Fairbanks.		
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# APPEALS PROCESS

Anyone may appeal a Tier II permit allocation decision or score to the Permit Hunt Administrator **within 10 days** of the public release of the list of names of those awarded Tier II permits. This year all applicants will be notified of scoring by mail. The appeals period is July 14-24, 2003. Appeals must be in writing or by telephone; if in writing it must be postmarked or hand delivered to 333 Raspberry Rd., Anchorage, within the 10-day appeal period; if by telephone it must also be made within the 10-day appeal period. Telephone appeals will be recorded. A department form, available at most ADF&G offices, may be used, but is not required. The department will provide a decision on the appeal by first class mail within 7 days of appeal receipt. A person aggrieved by a decision under this appeal system may appeal to the ADF&G Commissioner within 7 days of the mailing of a decision by the Permit Administrator.

The Department of Fish and Game may change a Tier II permit allocation decision or score in case of an ADF&G scoring error or based on evidence that information on an application is false.

Under 5 AAC 92.050, applications that are incomplete or contain false statements are void. Therefore, appeals asking to insert missing information or a signature, or asking to change answers to questions will be depied

tions will be denied.

Submit appeal to: Permit Hunt Administrator, ADF&G, Division of Wildlife Conservation, 333 Raspberry Rd, Anchorage, AK 99518-1599 Phone: (907) 267-2246

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Question 16a and 16b on the Tier II Application will not be scored for muskox hunts in Units 22 and 23.

Only one Tier II muskox permit per household.

23. Maps of hunt areas: www.wc.adfg.state.ak.us/gis/index.cfm

The following applies to all muskox hunts:

- Hunters must possess a valid hunting license prior to hunting, and all hunters are required to return their hunt report.
- The resident big game tag fee is waived for subsistence hunting; however, a tag provided with the permit is required and must be attached to the muskox immediately after it is taken.
- Successful applicants will be contacted by ADF&G with further instructions and information.
- ADF&G will destroy the trophy value of any muskox removed or exported from the areas designated for each hunt below.
- You may NOT use aircraft to transport hunters, muskox, or muskox hunting gear.
- Successful hunters are required to report in person, by telephone, or by mail upon completion of hunt.
- If unsuccessful report by telephone or mail within 15 days of close of season.
- Subsistence hunts on the Seward Peninsula are being conducted in combination with Federal Subsistence hunts for federally qualified subsistence users on federal public land.

Area Hunt Number	Number of Permits	Legal Muskox	Season Dates	Hunt Conditions			
Unit 22B	•						
TX105, Residents Only	7	Bull	Aug. 1-Mar. 15, Remainder of Unit 22B  Nov. 1-Mar. 15, within the Fox River drainage upstream of the Fox River bridge, or within one mile of the Fox River bridge, or within one mile of the Council	Season will be closed when the combined federal and state harvest reaches 9 muskoxen.  The department or department representative will destroy the trophy value of horns and/or skull, if removed or exported from Unit 22.  This hunt is conducted in combination with a federal subsistence hunt for federally qualified subsistence users on federal public land.  Toll free in Alaska: Nome 1-800-560-2271 or Kotzebue 1-800-478-3420.			
	west bank of the I		Road east of the Fox River bridge	The Channel and Cofety Council agest of the east hank of the flavores connecting Cofety Council with the confluence of the			
	<b>Unit 22C</b> , west of the west bank of the Bonanza River, north of the north bank of Bonanza Channel and Safety Sound, east of the east bank of the flowage connecting Safety Sound with the confluence of the Eldorado River, and east of and including the Eldorado River drainage.						
TX100, Residents Only	2	Bull	Aug. 1-Sept. 30	The department or department representative will destroy the trophy value of horns and/or skull, if removed or exported from Unit 22.  Toll free in Alaska: Nome 1-800-560-2271 or Kotzebue 1-800-478-3420.			
Unit 22C, west of the v	vest bank of the	Sinuk River		·			
TX101, Residents Only	4	Bull	Feb. 1-Mar. 15	The department or department representative will destroy the trophy value of horns and/or skull, if removed or exported from Unit 22.  Toll free in Alaska: Nome 1-800-560-2271 or Kotzebue 1-800-478-3420.			
Unit 22D Southwest, west of the Tisuk River drainage, west of the west bank of the unnamed creek originating at the unit boundary opposite the headwaters of McAdam's Creek and west of the west bank of Canyon Creek to its confluence with Tuksuk Channel							
TX103, Residents Only	9	Bull	Sept. 1-Mar. 15	When 3 cows have been taken, permit holders will be notified that only bulls may be taken. Season will be closed when the harvest reaches 7 muskoxen.  The department or department representative will destroy the trophy value of horns and/or			
		Any Muskox	Jan. 1-Mar. 15	skull, if removed or exported from Unit 22.  Toll free in Alaska: Nome 1-800-560-2271 or Kotzebue 1-800-478-3420.			
Remainder of Unit 22D	)						
TX102, Residents Only	31	Bull	Aug. 1-Mar. 15, not including the Pilgrim River drainage Nov. 1-Mar. 15 Pilgrim River drainage only	When 12 cows have been taken, permit holders will be notified that only bulls may be taken.  Season will be closed when the combined federal and state harvest reaches 31 muskoxen.  The department or department representative will destroy the trophy value of horns and/or skull, if removed or exported from Unit 22.  This hunt is conducted in combination with a federal subsistence hunt for federally qualified subsistence users			
		Any Muskox	Jan. 1-Mar. 15	on federal public land. Toll free in Alaska: Nome 1-800-560-2271 or Kotzebue 1-800-478-3420.			
Unit 22E	•						
TX104, Residents Only	21	Bull	Aug. 1-Mar. 15	When 25 cows have been taken, permit holders will be notified that only bulls may be taken. Season will be closed when the combined federal and state harvest reaches 50 muskoxen. The department or department representative will destroy the trophy value of horns and/or skull, if			
		Any Muskox	Jan. 1-Mar. 15	removed or exported from Unit 22.  This hunt is conducted in combination with a federal subsistence hunt for federally qualified subsistence users on federal public land.  Toll free in Alaska: Nome 1-800-560-2271 or Kotzebue 1-800-478-3420.			
Unit 23SW, the Seward	Peninsula west	of and including	g the Buckland River drainage				
TX106,	up to 9	Bull	Aug. 1-Mar. 15	When 4 cows have been taken, permit holders will be notified that only bulls may be taken.  Season will be closed when the combined federal and state harvest reaches 10 muskoxen.  Lower front teeth may be requested but not required for this hunt.			
Residents Only		Any Muskox	Jan. 1-Mar. 15	The department or department representative will destroy the trophy value of horns and/or skull, if removed or exported from Unit 23. Aircraft may NOT be used to transport hunters, muskox, or muskox hunting gear.  This hunt is conducted in combination with a federal subsistence hunt for federally qualified subsistence users on federal public land.  Toll free in Alaska: Nome 1-800-560-2271 or Kotzebue 1-800-478-3420.			
Unit 23NW, north and	Unit 23NW, north and west of the Noatak River						
TX107, Residents Only	6	Bull	Aug. 1-Mar. 15	Lower front teeth may be requested but not required for this hunt.  The department or department representative will destroy the trophy value of horns and/or skull, if removed or exported from Unit 23. Aircraft may NOT be used to transport hunters, muskox, or muskox hunting gear. Toll free in Alaska: Nome 1-800-560-2271 or Kotzebue 1-800-478-3420.			
Unit 26A, east of 153°	Unit 26A, east of 153° W longitude and Unit 26B, west of the Dalton Highway						
TX108, Residents Only	9	Any Muskox	Aug. 1-Mar. 31	Lower front teeth are requested but not required for this hunt.			
				The department or department representative will destroy the trophy value of horns and/or skull, if removed or exported from Unit 26.			

Dalton Highway Corridor Management Area (DHCMA)- Units 20, 24, 25, and 26 extending five miles from each side of the Dalton Highway, including the driveable surface of the Dalton Highway, from the Yukon River to the Arctic Ocean, and including the Prudhoe Bay Closed Area. The area within the Prudhoe Bay Closed Area and the North Slope Closed Area (see below) is closed to the taking of big game; the remainder of the Dalton Highway Corridor Management Area is closed to hunting with firearms; however, big game, small game, and fur animals may be taken in the area by bow and arrow only; hunters must mark their bowhunter education certification card number in permanent ink on the fletching or shaft of each arrow in possession; no motorized vehicles, except licensed highway vehicles on publicly maintained roads, aircraft, and boats may be used to transport game or hunters within the Dalton Highway Corridor Management Area; however, a snowmachine may be used to transport game or a hunter across the management area from land outside the management area to access land on the other side of the management area; any hunter traveling on the Dalton Highway must stop at any check station operated by the department within the Dalton Highway Corridor Management Area. North Slope Closed Area - consists of the area within 1/4 mile from each side of the Dalton Highway, including the driveable surface of the Dalton Highway, from the Unit 26B boundary at Atigun Pass north to the southern boundary of the Prudhoe Bay Closed Area. The area is closed to big game hunting. Prudhoe Bay Closed Area - that portion of Unit 26 bounded by a line beginning at 70 ° 22' N. lat., 148 ° W. long., then running south approximately 14 miles to a point at 70 ° 10' N. lat., 148 ° W. long., then north approximately two miles to a point at 70 ° 12' N. lat., 148 ° 40' W. long., then west approximately eight miles to a point at 70 ° 15' N. lat., 148 ° 56' W. long., then south approximately 2 miles to a point at 70 ° 15' N. lat., 148 ° 26' N. long., then east

# **Frequently Asked Questions**

- 1. Do only Alaska Residents qualify to apply for Tier II subsistence permits? Yes. Only Alaska residents qualify for Tier II permits. A resident for Tier II means a person who has continually maintained his or her permanent home in Alaska for 365 days preceding the start of the Tier II hunt of interest. Members of the military services and their dependents who have been stationed in the state for the preceding 12 consecutive months are also residents for Tier II purposes.
- **2. How is it determined who gets the Tier II permits?** Each application is scored on 5 questions. Permits for a specific hunt are issued starting at the highest overall score and working downward until all permits are issued.
- **3. Will the information I give be verified?** Yes. Any application which appears to include false information will be investigated. Applications shown to include false information will be submitted to Fish & Wildlife Protection for citation and prosecution.
- **4. How many Tier II permits may an individual be awarded?** Only one Tier II permit per species may be awarded. Therefore, it is important that those applying for more than one hunt for the same species identify whether a hunt is their first, second, third, etc. choice for that species. If more individuals in a household are eligible for permits based on their score than can be allowed, the highest scoring individual(s) in the household will be awarded permit(s). When more than one household member applies for Tier II hunts, household applicants must be listed on each application. If you are awarded caribou or moose permits, you may register a proxy hunter to hunt for you if you are blind, 70% physically disabled or over 65 years of age.
- **5. Can I have both a drawing permit and a Tier II permit for the same species?** Yes. A person can be selected for a drawing permit and also be awarded a Tier II permit for the same species. However an individuals bag limit does not increase. Upon harvesting an animal under one permit, the other permit automatically becomes invalid. The drawing and Tier II permit systems are separate processes and your application for receiving a permit in one system does not affect your opportunity to apply or receive a permit in the other.
- **6.** Is there any difference in my chances of receiving a permit for my first choice hunt as opposed to my second or third choices? No. Each hunt is scored independently. If you qualify for more than one permit for a given species, you will receive the permit for the hunt which you indicated was your highest preference. If you do not identify a preference, you will receive a permit for the hunt in which you receive the highest score
- 7. If I qualify for a permit for one species, does that effect my opportunity to receive a permit for another species? No. Each hunt is scored independently. Your potential to qualify for a permit is dependent upon your score in relation to the scores of other applicants for the same hunt.
- 8. I can't remember how many years I hunted or applied for a permit hunt in order to fill out question 14. Can I ask Fish and Game for a listing of my hunting history?

must be accompanied by check or money order for \$5 for each application.

With exceptions (see below), the Department is not prepared to search its records and assist applicants on their past hunting and application history. Answer the question to the best of your knowledge.

Department staff will photocopy last year's Tier II applications. Please direct requests for copies to: Tier II copies, ADF&G, 333 Raspberry Rd., Anchorage, AK 99518. Requests for copies must be in writing, and